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Kelly,

This is just to capture some of our discussions from today. Now that we are nearing the end of hazardous materials and DW/WW activities, debris will become the big issue as people go in and gut their homes. The longer it takes to get the debris off the curb side the more frustrated folks will get. When the debris begins to be collected it would be good to have some field presence to help ensure the process is working properly. Some ideas on how this might be done include:

## **Curbside Collection Observation Teams:**

This could be roaming teams that observe the curbside collection activities and possibly identify areas that need to be addressed. This information can be sent back through the TCEQ regional offices.

## **Staging Observation Teams:**

This would involve teams that routinely visit approved staging areas to ensure that debris is being properly segregated. These teams can also possibly identify staging areas that have not been approved by TCEQ. These observations can be sent back through the TCEQ regional offices.

## **C&D Landfill Observation Teams:**

These teams would routinely visit approved C&D landfills to observe what is being placed in these landfills to ensure that the segregation is occurring prior to material being placed in the C&D landfills.

Just trying to capture some of our thoughts. You could decide to do all, some or none of these ideas. However, having folks in the field will help you answer questions/concerns raised by the public about debris management and how you are proactively ensuring waste gets to the right place

Thanks, Ronnie